Conversion of a State road into National Highway in Assam

8111. SHRI BHADRESWAR GOHAIN: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a proposal under Government's consideration for conversion of the historic Dhodwe Ali in Assam into a National Highway and if so, the reaction of Government thereto,

(b) if not, whether Government would consider such a proposal positively in the near future; and

(c) whether any road has been taken up by Government in Assam to convert into National Highway?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) There is no such proposal under consideration of the Govt. at present.

(b) and (c) During the meagre allocation of funds for National Highways during the 8th Five Year Plan, it is difficult to declare any new National Highway at this stage in the country including in Assam.

Development of National Highways in Gujarat

8112. SHRI GOPALSINH G. SOLANKI: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of the proposal sent by the erstwhile Government of Gujarat for the development of the national Highways as on 31st December, 1994;

(b) what are the details of the proposals approved out of them and the amount sanctioned for them and the proposals which were rejected;

(c) whether construction work of certain approved projects is getting delayed due to the negligence of the erstwhile State Government; and

(d) if so, what is the central Government's reaction thereo?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) 57 proposals amounting to Rs. 56.64 crores have been received from the Government of Gujarat for the development of National Highways during 94-95 upto 31st December, 1994.

(b) 42 proposals amounting to Rs. 11.04 crores have been sanctioned and 14 proposals amounting to Rs. 25.30 crores were returned unappoved.

(c) No such case has come to the notice of the Government.

(d) Does not arise.

केन्द्रीय सड़क निधि से राज्यों को दी गयी वित्तीय सहायता

8113. चौधरी हरमोहन सिंह : क्या जल भूतल परिवहन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) केन्द्रीय सरकार ने गत तीन वर्षों के दौरान प्रतिवर्ष राज्यों को सड़कों और पुलों के निर्माण, रख-रखाव तथा मरम्मत के लिए केन्द्रीय सड़क निधि से कितनी-कितनी राज्यवार वित्तीय सहायता प्रदान की है ;

(ख) राज्य सरकारों द्वारा वास्तविक रूप से खर्च की गई धनराशि का राज्यवार ब्यौरा क्या है ; और

(ग) केन्द्रीय सरकार इस धनराशि के उपयोग पर किस प्रकार से निगरानी रखती है ?

जल भूतल परिवहन मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री जगदीश टाइटलर) : (क) केन्द्रीय सड़क निधि से 1992-93, 1993-94 और 1994-95 के दौरान किया गया राज्यवार आबंटन दर्शाने वाला विवरण संलग्न है।

(नीचे देखिए)

(ख) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी ।